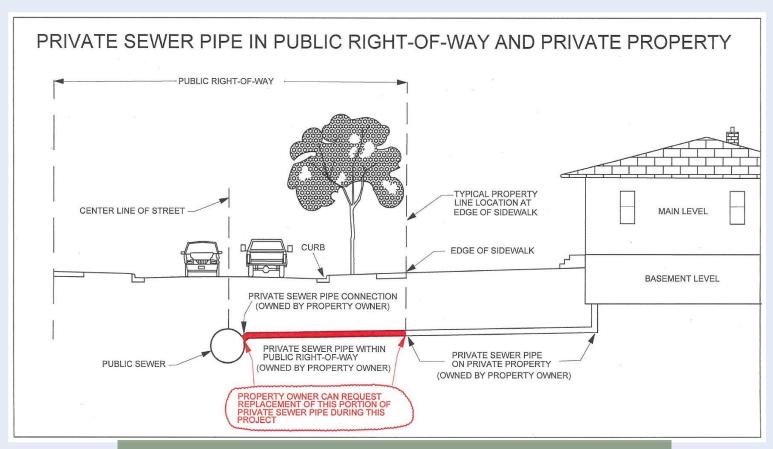
# CITY OF SAINT PAUL Public Works Sewer Division

Sewer Utility Permit Desk 651-266-6234

PW-SewerCounter@ci.stpaul.mn.us

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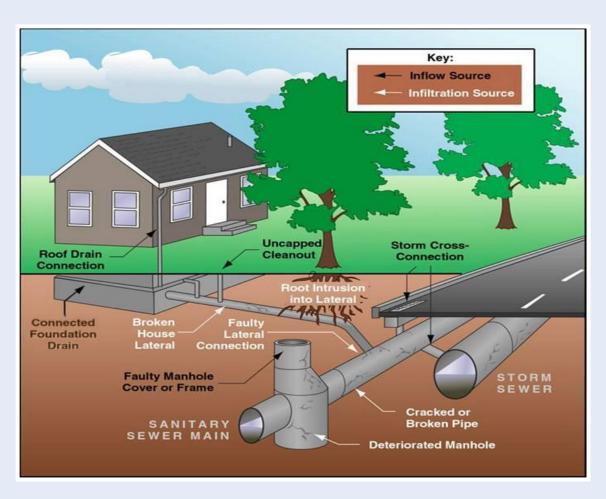
Sanitary Sewer Replacement Option



Eligible property owners received a notice in November 2019



Sanitary Sewer Service Issues





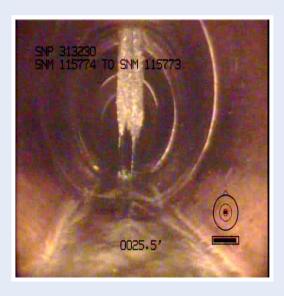
## Warning Signs of a Defective Sewer Service

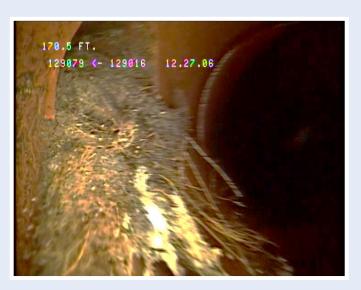
- Does your drain run slowly or gurgle?
- Do you have sewer odors?
- Do you know where your sewer service runs?
- Are there bushes or trees planted over it?
- Has your sewer line ever been cleaned and inspected?
- Do you have a garbage disposal and do you use it for everything?
- Is there a sinkhole or depression near your home, boulevard, or street?



#### Common Sewer Problems

- Dropped connection to the main
- Broken clay pipe
- Root intrusion







### Benefits of Repairing the Sanitary Sewer Service

- Extends the system service life
- Reduces the risk of:
  - ✓ Sewer backups
  - ✓ Sinkholes
  - ✓ Rodent access
- Cheaper during construction
  - ✓ Fixed rate
  - ✓ Don't have to pay for street restoration
  - ✓ 20 years to pay





Sanitary Sewer Service Cost

#### **COST COMPARISON INFORMATION**

Replacing Your Sewer Service From the Main to the Property Line

**During** Construction

Approximately \$3,500

- Cost to property owner can be spread out over a 20-year term/assessment
  - No street restoration costs

**After Construction** 

Typically More Than \$5,000

 Restoration costs are paid by the property owner

If you are interested – ACT NOW!

